

For the prevention and cure of  
BILIOUS AND MALIGNANT FEVERS  
is recommended  
**Hahn's ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS**  
THIS Medicine has been attended  
with a degree of success highly grateful  
to the inventor's feelings in several parts  
of the West Indies and in the Southern  
and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of person  
can be adduced, who have reason to be-  
lieve that a timely use of this salutary re-  
medy has, under Providence, preserved  
their lives when in the most alarming cir-  
cumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak  
more in favour of a medicine than col-  
umns of pompous eulogy founded on  
mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously  
proposed as an infallible cure, but the inven-  
tor has every possible reason that can re-  
sult from extensive experience for be-  
lieving that a dose of these Pills taken  
once in every two weeks during the pre-  
valence of our bilious fevers, will prove  
an infallible preventive; and further,  
that in the earlier stages of those diseases  
their use will very generally succeed in  
restoring health, and frequently in cases  
esteemed desperate and beyond the pow-  
er of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly  
mild, so as to be used with safety by per-  
sons in every situation and of every age.  
They are excellently adapted to carry  
off superfluous bile and prevent its mor-  
bid secretions—to restore and amend the  
appetite—to produce a free perspiration  
and thereby prevent colds which are of-  
ten of fatal consequences. A dose never  
fails to remove a cold if taken on its first  
appearance: they are celebrated for re-  
moving habitual costiveness—sickness at  
the stomach and severe head-ache—and  
ought to be taken by all persons on a  
change of climate.

They have been found remarkably effi-  
cacious in preventing and curing disor-  
ders attendant on long voyages, and  
should be procured and carefully preserv-  
ed for use by every seaman.

**Hamilton's Elixir.**  
A sovereign remedy for colds, obtu-  
sate coughs, asthmas, sore throats, ca-  
tarrhs, and approaching consumptions.—  
To persons who have children afflicted  
with the **HOOPING COUGH**, this dis-  
covery is of the first magnitude, as it af-  
fords immediate relief, checks the pro-  
gress, and in a short time entirely re-  
moves the most cruel disorders to which  
children are liable. The Elixir is per-  
fectly agreeable, and the dose so small  
that no difficulty arises in taking it.

**Hamilton's Grand Restorative.**  
Is recommended as an invaluable me-  
dicine for the speedy relief and perman-  
ent cure of  
Nervous Disorders Violent cramps in  
Consumptions the stomach and  
Lowness of spirits back  
Loss of appetite Indigestion  
Impurity of blood Melancholy  
Hysterical affection Gout in the stomach  
Inward weaknesses Pains in the limbs  
and debility Relaxations, etc.

**Hamilton's Essence and Extract of  
Mustard.**  
A safe and effectual remedy for acute  
and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic  
gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white  
swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain  
in the face and neck, etc. etc.

**Lar's Ointment for the Itch.**  
Warranted an infallible remedy at one  
application, may be used with perfect  
safety by pregnant women, or on infants  
a week old, not containing a particle of  
mercury or any dangerous ingredient  
whatever, and not accompanied with that  
tormenting smart which attends the ap-  
plication of other remedies.

**Hahn's true & genuine German Corn  
Plaster.**  
An infallible remedy for corns, speedily  
removing them root and branch, with-  
out giving any pain.

**The Genuine Persian Lotion.**  
So celebrated among the fashionable  
throughout Europe, is an invaluable cos-  
metic, perfectly innocent and safe, free  
from corrosive and repellent minerals,  
the basis of other lotions, and of un-  
paralleled efficacy in removing blemishes  
of the face and skin, freckles, pimples,  
inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetter, ring-  
worms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

**Hahn's genuine Eye Water.**  
A sovereign remedy for all diseases of  
the eyes, whether the effect of natural  
weakness or of accident.

**Tooth Ache Drops.**  
The only remedy yet discovered which  
gives immediate and lasting relief in the  
most severe instances.

**Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops**  
For the cure of agues, remittent and  
intermittent fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets  
may be had gratis, describing cures per-  
formed by the above medicines; the num-  
ber, importance and respectability of  
which, fully justify every article of this  
advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by  
**JAMES KENNEDY & SON,**  
September 26 King-st. Alexandria.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1817.

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**For New York,**  
The fine schooner **HENRY**  
**DENISON**, capt. Thorp, bur-  
then 800 bbls. will sail early  
next week. For freight or  
passage apply to  
**BARNEWALL & POPHAM,**  
October 30 1w Merchants' w.f.

**For New-York,**  
The fine fast sailing Sloop  
**PACKET**, capt. Thos. Van  
Name, burthen 500 barrels,  
now lying at the foot of King  
street—For freight or passage, having  
good accommodations, apply on board or to  
**J. & J. DOUGLASS.**  
October 30. if

**For Freight.**  
The schooner **UNION**, cap-  
tain Cole, a nearly new and  
superior vessel, carries about  
900 barrels, will be ready  
in a few days to receive a cargo, and will  
take freight for Europe or Coastwise.  
Apply to  
**LAWRASON & FOWLE,**  
Who have for sale said sch's cargo of  
120 tons Plaster Paris,  
Also, for sale, landing from schr. Bolina,  
capt. Sylvester, from Madeira,  
4 pipes  
1 half pipe } **MADEIRA WINE.**  
1 qr. cask  
October 28

**For Boston, or any Eastern port,**  
The schooner **FAVORITE**,  
captain Foster, will be ready  
for the reception of a cargo in  
a few days, and will take  
freight on moderate terms. Apply to the  
master on board, or to  
**JOHN JACKSON & Co.**  
Who have for sale the cargo of said schr  
180 tons plaster, of superior quality  
October 28

**For Boston,**  
The regular trading packet  
schr **LIBERTY**, Isaac Bears  
master, burthen 700 bbls. now  
ready to receive a cargo, and  
will sail in a few days. For freight or  
passage apply to  
**JOHN G. LADD & Co.**  
October 28

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will sail in a few days. For freight or  
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**JOHN G. LADD & Co.**  
October 28

**Lawrason & Fowle**  
**OFFER** for sale the cargo of the  
schooner **Planet**, Chandler Back-  
liff master, from Portland, of  
150 pieces ravens duck  
60 do. Russia sheetings  
250 do. diapers  
50 bolts first quality Russia duck  
1 pipe Lisbon wine  
140 tons Plaster Paris  
Also,  
The cargo of the schooner **New Pack-**  
et, from Boston, of  
100 tons Plaster Paris  
30 barrels No. 1 beef  
3,000 lbs. green coffee  
26 barrels tanner's oil  
8 half barrels mackerel

**For Boston,**  
The regular trading schr  
**NEW PACKET**, 1. Crosby  
master, will commence load-  
ing in a few days, and take a  
few hundred barrels freight. Apply as  
above.  
October 10

**For Freight,**  
The ship **HAZARD**, Wil-  
liam Crabtree, jun. master;  
burthen 3800 barrels, and can  
be ready to receive a cargo  
on board in three days.

Also,  
The ship **MARIA**, George  
Fletcher, master; burthen a-  
bout 3500 barrels; can be in  
immediate readiness for sea.

Also,  
The brig **SUSAN**, James  
Parsons, master; burthen a-  
bout 1000 barrels, is a new  
and excellent vessel, ready  
for the immediate reception of a cargo,  
and will take a foreign or coastwise  
freight on moderate terms. Apply to  
**LAWRASON & FOWLE.**  
October 4

**For Sale, Freight, or Charter,**  
The substantial fast sailing  
brig **VIRGINIA**, burthen  
1,200 barrels. For terms ap-  
ply to  
**N. KEENE.**  
Oct. 1

**For Sale or Freight,**  
The ship **NEWBURYPORT**,  
burthen 350 tons or 4000 bbls.  
built at Newburyport, of the  
best materials and by expe-  
rienced workmen, is in good order and  
can be immediately ready to receive a  
cargo. She will be sold low, or take  
freight on very moderate terms.—Apply  
to  
**LAWRASON & FOWLE,**  
Who have for sale, on board said ship  
200 tons French Plaster Paris.  
200 lbs. Whiting.  
October 9

**Ship Chandlery, &c.**  
**ABRAHAM ADAMS** has taken a Store  
on Central wharf, and offers for  
sale a complete assortment of  
**SHIP CHANDLERY & GROCERIES**  
with a constant supply of Warranted An-  
chors.  
TO RENT, the Second Story and  
Counting Room of said Store.  
October 6

**Piano Fortes, &c.**  
**JAMES KENNEDY & SON,**  
HAVE LATELY RECEIVED  
AN assortment of fine toned Piano  
Fortes, both plain & ornamented.  
1 case of Violins, assorted, from No.  
1 to 18  
Violin Bows, Bridges, & refined zin  
A quantity of Roman and German Vi-  
olin Strings, particularly selected  
German Flutes; of every size and qua-  
lity, from one to six keys  
Flageolets and Fifes  
Clarinet Reeds  
Books of Instruction & Progressive Les-  
sons, for the above Instruments.  
October 25 dtf

**Hugh Smith & Co.**  
HAVE received by the ships **Boston**  
and **Marie**, just arrived from Li-  
verpool, their full supply, which, with  
their stock on hand, enables them to offer  
an extensive assortment of  
**EARTHEN WARE, CHINA AND  
GLASS,**  
for sale at low prices. Also on hand,  
A few tons shot  
Pipes in boxes  
Window glass, 7-9, 8-10, and 10-12  
A few cwt. dry white lead  
sept. 23 tuths6w

**John G. Ladd & Co.**  
HAVE FOR SALE,  
**MUSCOVADO** and clayed sugars in  
hhd's. cases and barrels  
Molasses in hhd's.  
India point gin in pipes  
New England rum in hogheads  
Spermaceti and tallow candles  
White and brown soap in boxes  
No. 1 and 2 chocolate  
Writing, wrapping & sheathing paper  
Hyson tea in half chests  
Long and short pipes in boxes  
Spanish segars in half boxes  
Race and ground ginger  
10 barrels No. 2 mackerel  
Manufactured tobacco  
1 barrel Spanish indigo  
A quantity of cassia, tow cloth  
Men's, boys' and women's fine and  
coarse shoes  
Coarse and fine hats, Lisbon foot mats  
Russia duck and sheetings  
American cables and cordage  
Glauber salts in barrels  
1 Obboxes double refined brimstone  
Florence oil in boxes  
Tanners' and Spermaceti oil in bbls.  
4 bales goat skins  
Madeira, Tenerife, sherry and malaga  
wines in pipes and quarter casks, old and  
of superior quality  
9 by 11 window glass  
1 keg Faxon axes, 4 yawl boats  
Cut nails in casks, grindstones  
70 tons Russia & Swedish iron, assort.  
German linens in bales, consisting of  
Ticklenburgs, osnaburgs, hessians  
White and brown rolls  
Dowls and shirting  
1 case looking glasses  
British goods in packages, consisting of  
Cambric, cotton shirting,  
Cords and velvet, cotton hose  
3 cases cotton thread  
1 case domestic cotton shirting  
2 cases broad cloth and satinette  
5 bales handkerchiefs, consisting of  
mock pullicat, madras, blue gills, and  
bandana  
2 cases seersuckers and nankeens  
Bales of India cottons, consisting of  
gurrabs, mamoodies, &c.  
Also, few tons fustic, stone lime and  
plaster of Paris. Oct. 3

**Boarding**  
**MRS. MARSTELLER**, residing at  
the corner of Prince and Wash-  
ington streets, begs leave to inform the  
public, that she proposes to take a few  
young persons, either Boys or Girls, to  
board during the winter. Oct. 7.

**Notice.**  
THE subscribers have obtained let-  
ters of administration from the cir-  
cuit court of Fairfax county, on the estate  
of Richard H. L. Washington, of said  
county, deceased. All persons having  
claims against the said decedent, are  
hereby warned to exhibit the same, with  
the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers;  
and those indebted thereto are requested  
to make immediate payment to  
**John A. Washington,**  
and  
**Bushrod C. Washington.**  
Of Jefferson county, Va. adm'rs  
of R. H. L. Washington.  
October 24 116w

**Thomas H. Howland**  
**HAS FOR SALE,**  
Liverpool coarse and fine salt  
Swedish bar iron, Russia hemp  
New-O-leans yarns  
Spermaceti and tallow candles  
Spanish hides  
Spermaceti, whale & tanners' oil  
Mackerel, and a large quantity of  
Welsh slate of a superior quality.  
October 13 d3tmwtf

**Fall Goods.**  
**THOMAS JANNEY & CO.** have im-  
ported per the ship **Boston**, direct  
from Liverpool, a handsome assortment of  
**Fall and Winter Goods;**  
which they offer for sale on accommoda-  
ting terms.  
9th mo. 27 dtf

**Raisins, Molasses, &c.**  
**CALDWELL & JACKSON** have just  
received, and offer for sale,  
1 box ducking and double barrel-  
led guns  
100 boxes fresh muscatel raisins  
50 kegs spiced salmon  
50 do tongues and sounds  
20 boxes sperm candles  
10 do turkey figs  
4 hds. prime retailing molasses  
October 10

**Wines, &c.**  
**JUST** received, per ship **Commerce**,  
captain Crowhill, from Marseilles,  
and for sale by the undersigned,  
25 cases superior red hor-  
mitage, of the vintage of 1811,  
175 do. Frontignour, Mus-  
cal, Bourdeaux & Marseilles  
187 packages, containing  
Gentlemen's superfine round hats  
Perfumery, assorted, Naples soap  
Watches, musical seals, and snuff boxes  
Chairs and keys  
Elegant portraits and engravings  
A few sets splendid paper hangings  
Ladies' and gentlemen's gloves  
Umbrellas and parasols  
Writing and wrapping paper  
Fancy baskets, &c. &c.  
Oct. 10  
**FR. ADAMS,**  
Merchants' Wharf

**Furs and Peltries.**  
**WILL** be sold at public auction, on  
Monday the 10th day of Novem-  
ber next, at 11 A.M. at the Warehouse  
of the superintendent of Indian Trade, in  
this town, a valuable collection of  
**FURS AND PELTRIES,**  
received from the U. S. Trading Houses,  
and principally from the Missouri and  
the Upper Mississippi. This collection  
is made up of  
Deer Skins in hair 4230 lbs  
Do. do. shaved 14000 lbs  
Beaver 3244 lbs  
Bear 338 skins  
Cub 189 do  
Muskrat 32600 do.  
Raccoon 4600 do  
Otter 980 do  
Mink 388 do.  
&c. &c. &c.  
These skins will be sold in lots to  
suit purchasers, on a credit of 90 days  
for all sums of 100 dollars or upwards.  
For all sums under 100 dollars, cash.—  
Notes with approved endorers will be  
received.  
**THOS. L. MCKENNY, S. I. T.**  
Georgetown, Oct. 15—16.

**ENGLISH AND GERMAN**  
**ALMANACS, FOR 1818,**  
Just published and for sale by the gross,  
dozen or single one,  
By **JOHN A. STEWART,**  
Who has on hand,  
a large stock of writing and letter paper,  
pasteboards, slates, blank books, quills,  
sealing wax, folders, playing cards, and  
paper for rooms.

Also,  
Family and common bibles and testa-  
ments, prayer books; psalm and hymn  
books; with many other established reli-  
gious works of merit. A general assort-  
ment of  
**School Books,**  
Among which are, the Greek and Latin  
Classics, Dilworth's, Webster's, Mavor's,  
Conley's, Murray's, Columbian and Phi-  
ladelphia spelling books, Murray's, Web-  
ster's, Ashes and Comley's grammars,  
Murray's Primer, Introduction, Reader,  
Exercises and Key, Am. Class Book,  
Blair's Reading Exercises, New Intro-  
duction to Reading, New-York Reader,  
No. 1, 2 and 3; Scott's Lessons, En-  
field's Speaker, Goldsmith's England,  
Rome and Greece, Webster's Selection,  
American Speaker, Dodds's and Crox  
all's Fables, Blair's Grammar of Chemis-  
try, O'Neal's and Willet's Geography,  
Dilworth's, Tutor's, Jesse's & Jaudon's  
Arithmetic, Johnson's, Sheridan's, and  
Walker's Dictionary, Atlases and Maps,  
etc. etc. together with a large stock of  
Law, History and Miscellany.  
Wholesale purchasers allowed a libe-  
ral discount. August 21

**A Cook Wanted.**  
**LIBERAL** wages will be given for a  
female cook the ensuing year. Ap-  
plication may be made to the printer of  
the **Alexandria Gazette.** Oct. 18

**Patons & Butcher**  
**HAVE** received, and offer for sale,  
an assortment of **TEN PLATE**  
**STOVES**, handsome patterns, finished  
complete. 10th mo. 15

**Fall Goods.**  
**JOSEPH JANNEY**, has imported in  
the ship **Boston**, Capt. Finley, from  
England, about an hundred packages,  
containing a general assortment of  
**WOOLLEN & COTTON GOODS,**  
which are offered for sale by the package  
or piece, and are very low.  
September 26 dtf

**Sicily Madeira Wine.**  
**LANDING** from the schooner **Liberty**,  
captain Beers,  
6 pipes Sicily Madeira Wine, of a  
superior quality  
1 bale Russia Diapers  
For sale by **LAWRASON & FOWLE.**  
October 22

**John Ramsay.**  
**HATH** imported a handsome assort-  
ment of  
**WOOLLENS,**  
by the ship **Boston**, from Liverpool.  
September 30

**Butter and Feathers.**  
**4,000** LBS. prime west coun-  
try firkin butter  
500 lbs. live feathers—For sale by  
**MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.**  
Who have mould and dipped CAN-  
DLES, of their own manufacture, of war-  
ranted superior quality. Oct. 22

**Sugars.**  
**5 HHDS.** Barbados & St. Lucie  
27 tierces } **SUGARS.**  
3 bbls.  
90 boxes Havana Segars.  
5 cases black Cambrics  
60 boxes sweet Oil, in flasks and  
bottles—Rose and striped blankets,  
Plains, coarse Cloths, etc. for sale by  
**JOHN JANNEY & Co.**  
10th mo. 15

**Lindsay & Hill,**  
**HAVE** just received and offer for  
sale,  
3 pipes first quality Holland gin  
1 bale ticklenburgs, 1st qual. con-  
taining 1140 ells.  
11 hogheads molasses.  
200 boxes mould and dipt candles.  
3 tierces and 9 barrels coffee.  
5 chests imperial and young hyson  
teas, last importation.  
8300 bushels Liverpool coarse salt.  
4500 4 Turke-Island ditto.  
15 hhd's St. Croix & Antigua rum.  
5 " and 10 barrels sugari  
10 boxes tumblers.  
October 24

**Wanted to Purchase, or take  
to Winter.**  
**HORSES,** Mules, or Cattle, by the  
drove or single one.  
ALSO TO SELL,  
A family of **SLAVES**, consisting of a  
man, his wife and four children, three  
of them girls and one boy; their ages  
from 12 to 30 years, the man and woman  
between 30 and 40—all of them healthy  
and stout.—Enquire of the Printer.  
October 14 d3m

**Jonathan C. May,**  
**MERCHANT TAYLOR.**  
**RESPECTFULLY** informs his friends  
and the public, that he has just re-  
ceived, and now on hand, a large and  
very general assortment of the most fa-  
shionable cloths, cassimeres, cords, vel-  
vets, fancy vestings, flusshings, coatings,  
double milled drabs and plaids.—Gentle-  
men can be supplied at all times with  
coats, great coats, surtouts, cloaks, pan-  
taloons, vests, etc. of the best quality,  
newest fashion, and made in the best  
manner.—Also, mourning furnished at the  
shortest notice.—On hand, a very great  
variety of ready made clothing of every  
description, which he is determined to  
dispose of on as reasonable terms as any  
of equal quality can be obtained in the  
district.—He solicits a share of patro-  
nage.  
**JONATHAN C. MAY.**  
Has also opened a **NEW SHOP**, in  
the above line, on King street, (in the  
house lately occupied as the Domestic  
Warehouse) under the care of an expe-  
rienced foreman, who will use his best ef-  
forts to please. His assortment is ve-  
ry general in every article in the above  
line of business. Customers, leaving their  
measures at either shop, may depend on  
having their orders executed in the most  
fashionable style, and at a very short no-  
tice. He requests those who may wish  
to purchase, to call at either shop and  
view his assortment, having no doubt of  
giving them bargains that will please.  
October 12 dtm

**Notice.**  
**THE** Subscriber having taken into  
partnership Mr. Thomas Irwin, in  
the business in future will be conducted  
under the firm of **CATLETT & IRWIN.**  
All those having claims against me, are  
requested to present them and receive  
their money; and all those indebted, are  
respectfully solicited to make payment  
with as little delay as possible.  
**CHARLES I. CATLETT.**

**For Sale,**  
157 bales and boxes burials; ticklen-  
burgs, osnaburgs, hessians, creas, plat-  
las, estopillas, britanias, cholets and  
dowls  
200 boxes consisting of half pint, pint,  
quart tumblers and decanters  
20 boxes elegant cut glass, containing  
cordial glasses, wines, tumblers, pitch-  
ers, plates and dishes  
200 boxes window glass, 8 by 10 and  
and 10 by 12  
80 chests hyson and imperial  
4000 pieces short yellow han-  
keens  
2000 do. long yellow do.  
167 boxes India China, consisting of  
dining sets, tea sets, cups and saucers,  
pint bowls, dining and desert plates, flat  
and deep  
6 pipes, 10 half pipes and 20 quar-  
ter casks very sup. London Particular  
Madeira Wine, from Gordon, Duff, In-  
glis & Co.  
German steel, very sup. quality, cop-  
per pots and tea-kettles, soap, candles,  
and nails—for sale on reasonable terms.  
**CATLETT & IRWIN.**  
October 11.

**John Lloyd,**  
**HAS** received by the ship **Boston**, an  
invoice of  
**BRITISH DRY GOODS.**  
Consisting principally of superfine and  
second broadcloths and cassimeres, dou-  
ble milled drabs, pelisse cloth, bombaz-  
zets, Bedford cords, vestings and blan-  
kets, put up in small bales; and will be  
sold together or by the package, at an  
unusual low advance and very accommo-  
dating credit.  
October 6 d3mwell

**Thomas Mount**  
**HAS** imported in the ship **New-Jep-**  
sey, Nelson, from Liverpool, his  
full supply of  
**Hardware, Saddlery & Fancy Goods,**  
which, in addition to his present stock,  
will make his assortment very complete.  
Among his goods is some handsome shew-  
els and tongs, dressing cases, fowling  
pieces, bell metal kettles and skillets,  
brass and plated candlesticks, plated  
saddlery, very low, good low priced sil-  
ver whistles, whips, with silver wire bu-  
ton and handle, &c. &c. with a great va-  
riety of useful and handsome goods, which  
shall be sold at moderate prices.  
Oct. 4 d3Thut4w

**Notice.**  
**THOSE** persons who have claims a-  
gainst the late firm of Wm. & F.  
**MARBURY**, are requested to present  
them for payment; & all those indebted  
to the said firm, are requested to make  
immediate payment to the subscriber, as  
no longer indulgence can be granted.  
**F. F. MARBURY.**  
October 15 wtf

**Fire Insurance.**  
The **Columbian Insurance Company** of  
Alexandria, continue to insure buildings,  
furniture, merchandise and other prop-  
erty, from loss by fire. The condition  
and terms, may be learned upon applica-  
tion at their office, next door to the City Hotel,  
and will be found as moderate & equita-  
ble as those of any other company.

The rates of premium are calculated  
in reference to the actual risk of prop-  
erty, and are as low as 25 cents per 100  
dollars per annum for hazards of the best  
description, increasing proportionally for  
risks of a more hazardous nature. In-  
surances may be made for one or more  
years, or shorter periods.  
Columbian Insurance Office, Feb. 20

**COLUMBIAN INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
Alexandria, 22d Oct. 1817.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given to the  
Stockholders of the **Columbian In-**  
surance Company of Alexandria, that on  
Monday the 3d day of next month, be-  
tween the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.  
an election for ten directors, to serve for  
the ensuing year, will be held at their  
office: By order of the board,  
**WM. WILSON, Sec'y.**  
October 23

**Alexandria, Oct. 2, 1817.**  
**NOTICE** is hereby given the stock-  
holders of the Bank at Potomac,  
that an election will be held at the court  
house in the town of Alexandria on Mon-  
day, the 3d day of November next for  
twelve directors for the ensuing year.—  
The election to commence at 10 A. M.  
By order of the President and Direc-  
tors,  
**C. PAGE, Cashier.**  
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## REFLECTIONS ON A WATCH.

How true, how certain does each index show

Time's measur'd moment, the nice instant now;

Mark, mortal! mark the worth of seconds' sum;

Nor put off business to the hour to come.

Hours, minutes, seconds, their own course pursue,

Nor even stop to please or me or you;

Days, months and years we reckon when they're past,

But who right reckons? There must be a last!

On each last year like a past dream we pore,

And every mortal asks for one year more;

The next arrives, 'tis like the former gone,

Still Hope, that ignis fatuus, leads us on.

But death our movement stops, points to the hand,

Shews his short glass, and hasty shakes the sand;

Smit with pale sorrow, then we stand aghast,

Deems asks plaintive, and is this the last?

What would we give? Oh that we had the power

To check the ebbing moments one poor hour!

But 'tis in vain—and at our deaths we know

The Time-piece, Life, has but so long to go.

From the Richmond Compiler.

## SHORT HINTS FOR MEN OF BUSINESS.

In the course of my life, certain rules have occurred to me as useful to all men engaged in business. I beg permission to lay them before your readers, as the results of an experience, which it would take them some time and trouble to acquire.

1st. Pursue the business you are engaged in with zeal and avidity. Without much industry, and even energy, your time will melt away, with little or no profit.—It follows from this obvious rule, that you ought to concentrate your attention upon one particular line of business, rather than distract it among several. If you have many different irons in the fire, some of them will most probably burn.

2d. Mind your own concerns; for do not trust implicitly to agents or clerks. If you wish any thing well done, you must either do it yourself, or see it done by others. Even your agent will soon learn to despise you, as well as neglect your concerns, unless you show an interest in them yourself. Attend to your own business, and he will attend to it. Neglect it yourself, your agent will neglect it.—If he does not, take that man to your heart: he is one man out of ten thousand.

3rd. It naturally flows from the last rule, that you must rise early, to see to the course of your business.—The man who wastes the first moments of the day in bed, is sure to produce the same habit among all those who live within the range of his influence.

4th. In all cases, prefer your business to your pleasures, the former not only suffers from your neglect, but your reputation as a man of punctuality and industry suffers with it.—The world soon despises the sluggard, the debauchee, or even the idle bon vivant.—The only time you can devote to your pleasures, is your leisure moments, that is, those moments which you snatch without injury from your usual avocations.

5th. Let your credit always keep pace with your capital. Never stretch it, but on some great emergency—lest you snap it. Let the world see, that you are rather a man of regular business, than of bold speculations—that you would rather make slow and sure gains, than venture some risks—that you labour rather than gamble in your speculations. Besides, in these bustling enterprises, a man not only risks his own credit, but tasks the good humour of his friends.

6th. Whenever you are under the necessity of appealing to your friends, to incur for you any serious responsibility, you ought never to ask it, unless you in your turn incur an equal responsibility for them, or make them secure by a pledge of some property.—These transactions, I know, are generally ordered in quite a different manner. Men hurry their friends into banks, or more perilous places, without caution or security. If they fail, away go their friends with them. This is a risk which very few men ought to incur, or to impose upon others. If you ought to give security, of course you have a right to ask it.

7th. Make no important agreement, unless you reduce it to writing. Men may prove scoundrels; or their memories at least may prove treacherous. The ink will remain as it is; but words, volatile words, will fly away, and be forgotten. Nearly a fourth of the causes, that lumber our dockets, proceed from the neglect of this obvious rule.—Besides death may sweep off one of the parties, and the other may be at the utmost loss to prove the existence or terms of the bargain.

8th. Observe the utmost order in the prosecution of your business.

Enter every debt or credit as it occurs. Beware of the foul fiend Ennui; and mind the good maxim, to do every thing while you think of it.

Have a place for every thing, and let every thing be in its place—more especially your papers; for more time is lost, and vexation incurred, by a hunt after some struggling document, that is generally conceived.

Have a place for all papers to be attended to; and particularly for all letters to be answered—for your correspondents will think themselves neglected, and sometimes feel themselves affronted, by a want of punctuality.

9th. Take a receipt for all monies you pay, or any debts, in whatever way you discharge them. These receipts must not be taken on loose bits of paper, which may be mislaid from their place, or lost from their file.—For what injury may not arise from their loss!—To remedy this inconvenience, I earnestly advise you to have a large blank book set apart for the purpose of registering your receipts. Should not your book be at hand, when you settle an account, you must paste the receipt on the blank leaf of your receipt book. I was particularly struck during the trial of Aaron Burr, by seeing a blank book of his, in which he had been so careful as to paste on the blank leaves every scrap of a newspaper which had been published relative to his concerns.—Your receipt book might be paged and indexed, and thus enable you in a moment to find any receipt which you have occasion to consult.

10th. Balance your day book at the end of every week—and your ledger at least once in every year.

11th. Settle your accounts as far as possible, at least once in every year. Those who are unable to discharge their debts in cash, may be induced to give you their notes for the same.—Keep a note book for this purpose, consisting of blank notes to be filled up.—Your note and receipt books would be two of the most useful records in your whole establishment.

12th. And should any of you be so unfortunate, in spite of all your care, industry and prudence, to become bankrupt in your circumstances, then break like honest men. Lay your condition fairly before your creditors; give up all your effects and trust to their generosity. You cannot help being bankrupt; but you may help being dishonest. The dishonest bankrupt is the greatest of fools as well as of knaves. Who will trust him hereafter, when he has attempted to cheat those who have trusted him? Who will not trust him again, who under the severest pinch of fortune has proved himself superior to temptation?

Many of these rules are truisms, but they are all worthy of being recollected.—They are all at your service.

Quorum Magna Pars Fuit

If any man will offer a serious argument against any of the principles of religion, and will debate the matter soberly, as one that considers the infinite consequences of these things, one way or other, and would gladly be satisfied, he deserves to be heard what he can say; but if a man will turn religion into raillery, and confute it by two or three bold jests, he doth not make religion, but himself ridiculous, in the opinion of all considerate men, because he sports with his life.

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It is a constant practice of those newspaper and other writers, who think it necessary to supply their own want of an attractive assortment by flattering the people and feeding their vanity, to institute comparisons between the moral habits of this country and those of Europe, greatly to the disadvantage of the latter, and making their estimates upon the accounts given in public prints of the judicial sentences passed upon offenders in England, to exaggerate the criminal account of that country, as if the balance were greatly against it on the score of moral depravity. But that this is an error can be easily demonstrated. In the first place, an infinite multitude of those offences which, in England, never fail to be severely punished, are not, among us, always brought under the cognizance of the magistrate, but connived at, out of mistaken tenderness in some, and by the indolent habits of the people in general respecting such things; and sometimes the inferior magistrates, for one reason or other best known to themselves, slur over offences which ought to be punished. There is now, for instance, not far from us, a homicide walking about at large on considerable bail, who, in England, would be fast ironed in prison, and if what was sworn in the first instance be proved at trial, would be hanged. There are more murders committed in the United States in one year than in England and Scotland in five.—(I do not even include duels.) And on the account of this most tremendous of all crimes, England is comparatively so clear, that even in their most furious and mischievous riots, in which houses—nay, streets have been burned, and thousands of property destroyed, there is not an instance within the last century of any of the mob themselves incurring their hands in blood. In Lord George Gordon's riot not a life was taken by the rioters. The same may be said of the Birmingham riots. For the extensive and frequent commission of forgery we surpass the whole world taken together. In the very important business of pecuniary obligation and the duties of debtor to creditor no comparison can be fairly instituted; since the same detention of money, which is uniformly the subject of coercion and penalty in Europe, is here scarcely remediable by law. And with respect to gambling, if that be a crime, we afford incomparably more subject matter for reproach than the whole dominions which Britain possesses in all parts of the world taken together, since it may be doubted whether, in some large portions of our country, there be one tavern in five that is not a constant place of rendezvous for gamblers. And this is the vice which, beyond all others, strikes deepest at the morals of youth.

Plato being informed that one of his disciples was fond of gaming, reprimanded him for it. The disciple excused himself by saying he only played for a trifle. "But," said Plato, "do you reckon for nothing the habit of gaming, which playing for a trifle will make you contract?"

Leichner, the German fabulist, has the following apologue: "A man who had ramblod about the world for some time, at length returned to his native country. His friends flocked to see him; every one expressed joy at his return, and each was desirous that he should recount to them some of his adventures.—The budget of miracles was presently opened. Among many other things, he said, 'you well know, my friends, the prodigious distance from this country to that inhabited by the Harons: well, two hundred leagues beyond that I saw a species of men who appeared very singular to me. They would often sit round a table until the night was far advanced, though there was no cloth laid, nor any thing for them to eat. Thunder might roll over their heads, two armies might fight at their sides, without making them quit their places; or giving them the least disturbance; they appeared to be deaf and dumb. From time to time you might hear them utter some badly articulated sounds; these sounds had no connexion with what they were about, nor were their signification of much consequence, notwithstanding they turned their eyes to some part of the company in a most strange manner. I often observed them

with wonder, for they are generally surrounded by spectators, who seem to be attracted by curiosity; and believe me, my friends, I shall never forget the troubled countenances which I have seen on these occasions. Despair, rage, sometimes a malignant joy, blended with inquietude, were by turns depicted. Sometimes it was the rage of the Eumenides, then the serious and sullen air of the infernal judges, and then the pangs of a malefactor going to receive his punishment.'

"But," said our traveller's friends, 'what had these unhappy creatures in view? Were they laboring for the public good?' 'Oh! no.' 'Were they searching for the philosopher's stone?' 'It was not that.' 'It was the quadrature of the circle then?' 'Still less.'

"Ah! we have it—they were doing penance for their crimes.' 'You are mistaken again.' 'Why, then, you have been telling us of madmen! Without hearing, speaking or feeling, what could they be doing?' 'They were GAMING.'

Gaming is the vice of the dissolute and idle. Savages are addicted to gaming; and some have been known to stake their liberty, though by them valued above all other blessings. Negroes on the slave coast of Guinea will stake their wives, their children, and even themselves. So that gamblers keep right worshipful company." In a word, a gamester is a friend to no man, and the greatest of all enemies to himself.

From the Montreal Sun, of the 19th Oct.

Late advices from the Great Falls of the river Saint John, that may be relied on, say, that those falls will probably remain in our possession; the exploring line having struck St. John's, some miles above that post.

Salem, October 22.

We are indebted to Capt. G. Crowninshield, of the Cleopatra, for the specimens he has afforded of the riches of Italy. His coins, ancient and modern, medallions, bronze figures, marbles, granites, and minerals, have added much to our knowledge of the natural as well as civil history of Italy. He has supplied us with the best modern guides for the visits we may pay to the antiquities of the Roman cities and for Rome itself. The profile view of Rome from Monte Mario, has a very good general effect. The views of Rome have been of every description, but Prout's illustrations of ancient customs, from ancient monuments, advance our knowledge of Roman manners, and Bianchi's exhibition of the subjects of Raphael's paintings in the Vatican, gives us the bold designs of that great master; while Pinelli's modern customs and manners assist a comparison of the state of society of ancient and modern times.—The reduced views of Rome of the present year, are well adapted to be a companion of the traveller, and to aid the recollection of the wonderful works of art he may have visited. When we leave Rome, we leave the parent of the fine arts in Italy, but we see the monuments of ancient greatness in other cities to instruct us in the sublime power of example, while it displays itself to the astonished senses of the world. The four celebrated edifices of Pisa, which he visited, would have been known from their own greatness, but the knowledge we have from whence this surrounding greatness arose, brings new glory to Rome, the parent of these arts, these riches, and this prosperity.—The riches collected in our country begin to have the power of inspiration upon our citizens. The arts live together, & while we breathe the air of health, and command the conveniences of life, we aspire at the proudest monuments of our fame and our virtues.—Regener.

October 23.

Cleopatra's Barge.—Having noticed the attention paid to the American barge Cleopatra, at Rome, we could not refuse the pleasure of assuring our friends that Capt. G. Crowninshield had been equally successful in arresting attention in France. The following is an extract of a letter dated at Marseilles, 14th of July, 1817, from a person long residing in France. "Captain G. Crowninshield left this port in the beginning of the present month, for Toulon and Italy.—During his stay here, thousands of both sexes were on board his beautiful vessel.—Every day it was like a continual procession. It gave me the utmost pleasure, as the universal opinion was that no vessel could compare with this vessel. I felt proud that such a splendid specimen of what could be done in the United States, was thus exhibited in Europe. We consider it as an act of patriotism. The vessel was admired.—The exquisite taste in her appointments greatly astonished the French, for their *Amour propre* had inclined them to believe that only in France the *le gout* was known."

"I observe by the papers, that the President of the U. S. had commenced his tour. He stands high, and deserves it.—He has been rewarded in the affections of the people and of freemen. What title or recompense can be more glorious."

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The design of the present essay is not to discuss the merit of the question before us. Argument is therefore avoided. Nor is it for the purpose of idle declamation; but from a serious wish to excite attention to a most momentous concern, and one of universal interest. Let it be made a subject of general conversation. Let the books which treat of it be sought after and read; and let every one make himself master of the arguments pro and con. What! shall our libraries be filled with histories of battles and biographies of warriors? Shall the quarrels of contending nations be echoed from every tongue, and all on tip-toe eager to hear? and when the general question is agitated, whether all these violent measures shall be abolished, and mankind live as one great family of brethren, shall a silent apathy ensue and interest expire? I trust not. It is a question that must will command attention. Nine out of ten of the common people are inclined to peace, and when once its banner is fairly displayed they will enlist under it. The current which has long flowed in the polluted ways of error, will run irresistibly in the channel of truth, clear and transparent. Let those who are interested in the cause of truth unite their efforts to advance the work of reformation. Let us hear the sound of *The Providence Peace Society*. And let some of those excellent treatises, the *Solemn Review*, the letters to Governor Strong, the *Friend of Peace*, &c. &c. be put into the hands of every man, woman and child that can read them. Men influence the existing concerns of nations; women influence the opinions of society; & form the minds of children; and the children of the present generation will be the men of the next. In this way a permanent foundation may be laid. The nations may be induced to sheathe the sword and learn war no more.

These are not, I trust, the wild effusions of a romantic mind. It is really astonishing that nations, which, in other respects, have advanced so far in civilization, should still resemble savage wild beasts, nay the very devils themselves, in tearing and devouring each other. Let them take this step and renounce forever the practice of war; and it will advance them greatly in the scale of intellectual existence. There are doubtless, multitudes, who would heartily say amen, but that, from various causes, they believe the measure impracticable. I am induced to think this idea often entertained without due consideration. I entreat the candid reader, to follow the shall quize dismiss the subject.

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question the legality of war. They assert its inhumanity and impolicy. They boldly assert its inconsistency with the whole spirit, design and tendency of the Gospel; and they begin to be heard.—The shackles of prejudice are falling off. It is now believed that the custom of ages can never sanction crime. In consequence to which sentiment, nations after nations have disowned the horrid traffic in human blood. They may be long disown the horrid practice of human slaughter.

This is a subject of the deepest interest to all, and must soon force itself into general notice. The friends of peace and humanity are surprised, and will be still more surprised, to find how rapidly their numbers increase. In both hemispheres, bold champions are advocating the cause. The ablest pens and the finest talents have been employed in its service. Numerous treaties have already appeared breathing the language of peace. Several societies have been formed in various parts to spread its principles. Characters of the highest respectability are rallying round its standard. Arguments clear and unanswerable are advanced in its defence. But it is not to be imagined, that little more is to be done. The monster war is surrounded by many strong walls of defence, and is not to be extirpated without a struggle. It is engendered from the lusts of men, and these bear extensive sway. Prejudices, riveted by universal custom, and rested in by the lapse of ages, are to be worn away by slow degrees. The poets and historians of all nations have adorned their pages with the praise of heroes and the glory of arms. Thus our ideas of heroism and glory, and of all the exalted virtues in the human character, by a most unnatural association, are interwoven with destruction and murder. There are many, who, amid the horrors of war, look for the promotion of some private interest. There are many whose profession is arms, and who expect no other employment. These are some of the most prominent obstacles; and when these are considered, it is cause of astonishment that so little in the shape of argument has been attempted by the advocates for war.—It is, perhaps, cause of regret too. Truth can suffer nothing by investigation.—There are doubtless many candid men, who, on various grounds, sincerely believe that war ought to be tolerated. Let these come forward, and publish their argument to the world. I believe there will not be wanting able advocates to defend the truth; and I have the fullest persuasion, that a serious and impartial examination will ensure the complete triumph of the principles of peace.

The design of the present essay, is not to discuss the merit of the question before us. Argument is therefore avoided. Nor is it for the purpose of idle declamation; but from a serious wish to excite attention to a most momentous concern, and one of universal interest. Let it be made a subject of general conversation. Let the books which treat of it be sought after and read; and let every one make himself master of the arguments pro and con. What! shall our libraries be filled with histories of battles and biographies of warriors? Shall the quarrels of warring nations be echoed from every tongue, and all on tiptoe eager to hear? and when the general question is agitated, whether all these violent measures shall be abolished, and mankind live as one great family of brethren, shall a silent apathy ensue and interest expire? I trust not. It is a question that must be discussed, and will command attention. Nine out of ten of the common people are in their hearts inclined to peace, and when once its banner is fairly displayed they will enlist under it. The current which has long flowed in the polluted ways of error, will run irresistibly in the channel of truth, clear and transparent. Let those who are interested in the cause of truth, unite their efforts to advance the work of reformation. Let us hear the sound of *The Providence Peace Society*. And let some of those excellent treatises, the *Solemn Review*, the letters to Governor Strong, the *Friend of Peace*, &c. &c. be put into the hands of every man, woman and child that can read them. Men influence the existing concerns of nations; women influence the opinions of society and form the minds of children; and the children of the present generation will be the men of the next. In this way a permanent foundation may be laid. These nations may be induced to sheathe the sword and learn war no more.

These are not, I trust, the wild effusions of a romantic mind. It is really astonishing that nations, which, in other respects, have advanced so far in civilization, should still resemble savages, wild beasts, nay the very devils themselves, in tearing and devouring each other. Let them take this step and renounce forever the practice of war; and it will advance them greatly in the scale of intellectual existence. There are, doubtless, multitudes, who would heartily say amen, but that, from various causes, they believe the measure impracticable. I am induced to think this idea is often entertained without due consideration. I entreat the candid reader, before he shall quite dismiss the subject

Attached to the first annual report of the Massachusetts Peace Society, was a list of 185 members, including several persons who have sustained the most distinguished offices in the state, and 55 ministers of religion.

from his thoughts, to give it a serious examination; and if he attend, without prejudice, to the various arguments which have been advanced, I am persuaded his investigation will result in the clearest conviction that such a measure would not only be safe, but honorable, not only compatible with the existence, but essential to the welfare of nations, equally required and imperiously demanded by policy, humanity and religion.

**ANTI BELLUM.**  
*From the Boston Daily Advertiser, October 24.*

**LAW CASE.**  
*Cremier, vs. Higginson & Co.*—The very important cause, *Cremier vs. Higginson & Co.* which came on, in the circuit court of the United States, on Friday the 17th inst. was concluded yesterday morning, the jury returning a verdict in favor of the defendants.

The magnitude of the sum at issue, and the reputation of the parties, the importance of the decision to the commercial world, and the learning and eloquence engaged on each side, rendered this case very interesting to the community. The action was brought on a letter of guaranty, written by the defendants to the plaintiff, in favor of Stephen Higginson, Jr. and Henry Higginson, then copartners, by which they consent to become responsible for the credit of S. H. Jr. and H. H. to the amount of \$50,000. The principal point of defence was, that it was a guaranty for one \$50,000 only, and therefore as soon as that sum was advanced, and reimbursed by remittances, the guarantors were discharged from their obligation. 2d. That there was an alteration of the contract, for the guarantors were bound only for the firm of S. H. Jr. and H. H. and it was proved that the partnership was dissolved and that the plaintiffs knew it before advances were made on the letter, and had afterwards given credit to either of them in separate capacity, even though he relied on the guaranty, still in law the defendants were discharged. And lastly, That the laches of the plaintiffs in giving notice to the defendants that they considered them as bound by the letter, was in itself, should all the other grounds fail, sufficient to discharge the guarantors. These points were very ably supported by Messrs. Hubbard and Prescott. On the other side Messrs. G. Blake & Webster, with much eloquence and ingenuity, contended that the letter of guaranty was a continuing security for any amount within that sum, and though there should be continued advances & reimbursements, still if a balance remained due to the plaintiffs and those whose credit was guaranteed should fail to pay it, the guarantors would be liable on their letter; the advances were indubitably made on the footing of the guaranty, and the plaintiffs ought not to suffer for confidence reposed upon it; and further that the partnership was never in fact dissolved as it regarded the transaction for which the credit was given, the advances were made for the benefit of both the partners, S. H. Jr. and H. H. and therefore, the contract was not altered; nor were the guarantors discharged; but if the court should not consider this a continuing guaranty, still there was a large balance due the Cremiers on the first advance of \$50,000 which had never been reimbursed, which sum would clearly come within the guaranty. On the point of notice, Mr. Webster contended that it was sufficient for the plaintiffs, on receiving the letter of guaranty, to consent to make the advances on that security, and to give notice of that fact to the guarantors, and considering the situation of the two countries, all the intervening time, when communication was so extremely difficult, he should not think the court nor jury would continue the delay in giving further notice into such gross neglect as to defeat the present action.—The charge by Judge Story was very able and perspicuous, and the law was laid down in favor of the defendants on each point with a precision that could not be mistaken. It would be impossible to convey to the minds of our readers in this sketch the other points which were made in the case; those we have noticed were those on which the cause principally turned. It would be much more impossible to convey the powerful manner with which the counsel enforced their learned and ingenious arguments. Mr. Prescott and Mr. Webster, in closing, each occupied six hours, and the time was well occupied, for there was a great body of testimony minutely examined and fully and clearly commented on.

**American Flour at Dublin, Sept. 27.**  
was in more request, and 58s. readily obtained for prime quality.

**Exchange Coffee House.**  
**MARINE JOURNAL.**  
PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, OCTOBER 31.

**ARRIVED.**  
Last evening, schr *Hazard*; Hallet, 13 days from Boston; rum; plaister; etc. to the master.

This day, brig *Abeona*, Lewis; 17 days from Eastport; plaister, to Lawrason & Fowle.

Brig *Commerce*, Wade, 56 days from Havre de Grace; plaister, to Lawrason & Fowle.

**CLEARED.**  
Schr *Lucy*, Smith, Providence.  
Union, Call, Georgetown.  
Sloop *Henry*, Rhodes, Providence.

**To Merchants & Storekeepers.**  
An industrious young man who has had considerable experience in business, writes a good hand, and is capable of keeping books by Double and Single Entry, or to act as salesman in a dry good or West-India store, is anxious to obtain employment. Respectable references will be given.—Application by letter to I. B. at the printer's, will meet prompt attention.  
November 1 31\*

**Valise Found.**  
WAS found in a yard in this town, a BLACK LEATHER VALISE, containing sundry papers and the owner's name affixed to it on a piece of card. It may be had on application at this office, and paying the cost of this advertisement.  
November 1. 31

**For Rent.**  
And immediate possession given, THE Brick Dwelling House on King-street, near the Diagonal Pump, and adjoining the Warehouse of Mr. English. Also, the Store House adjoining my dwelling. For terms, apply to  
N. KEENE.

**WHO HAS IN STOCK,**  
80 bales German linens  
10 boxes hollow glass  
20 crates queens ware  
18 cases sherry wine, very old, and  
2000 bushels Cariz salt.  
Nov. 1

**Notice.**  
MY Wife SALLY, having left my house without provocation, I caution all persons against trusting or harboring her, on my account, as no debts of her contracting will be paid by me.  
THOMAS D. TRACEY.  
November 1. 6t

**Bank of Potomac.**  
November 1, 1817.  
NOTICE is hereby given, the Stockholders of the Bank of Potomac, that a dividend on the capital stock, of four per cent for the last six months is declared, and will be paid them or their representatives on Wednesday next, the 5th inst.  
By order of the President and Directors,  
C. PAGE, Cashier.  
November 1

**For Freight.**  
The superior brig *ABEO*, NA. A. Lewis, master; carries about 1800 barrels, is a first rate vessel, in complete order, can be ready to receive a cargo in four days, and will take a freight to the south of Europe on very moderate terms.  
Apply to  
LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, said brig's cargo of 230 tons Plaster Paris.  
ALSO,  
Landing from schooner *Hazard*, Capt. Hattel, and for sale,  
4 bales containing 40 pieces white Russia sheetings.  
60 bolts first quality Russia duck.  
10 qr. cases Sicily Madeira wine of a superior quality.

**For Newburyport.**  
The ship *NEWBURYPORT*, Captain Follansbee, will sail in four days, and take a few hundred barrels freight on moderate terms. Apply as above.  
November 1

**For Sale.**  
A FEW shares Mechanics' Bank stock. Enquire of the Printer.  
October 30 thatuff

**Joshua Riddle**  
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public that he intends opening a SCHOOL on Monday next, on Fairfax-street, a few doors south of Dr. Muir's church. He solicits a share of patronage.  
October 28 thatuff

**James English,**  
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has commenced business in that large and commodious warehouse near the diagonal pump, formerly occupied by Mr. James Anderson, where he intends constantly keeping on hand an extensive assortment of GROCERIES of every description, which he hopes to be enabled to dispose of at as low prices as they can be purchased at either in Alexandria or Baltimore. He will, at all times, give the highest price for Country Produce.

**HE NOW OFFERS FOR SALE,**  
Sugar, Coffee, Rum, Molasses—Also  
2000 wt. choice butter in firkins  
10000 do. prime bacon hams  
5000 bushels ground alum salt  
2000 do. Lisbon do.  
1000 do. coarse alum do.  
200 sacks blown do.  
200 tons French & N. S. plaister  
ALSO,  
A constant supply of choice family flour.  
Oct. 30—thrustuff

The Editor of the Winchester Gazette will please publish the above one month.

**Notice.**  
APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of Virginia, at their next session for leave to dispose of the Real Estate of John Carlin, dec'd. for certain purposes.  
MARY CARLIN.  
October 10, F2u\*

**Lawrason & Fowle**  
WILL purchase MARYLAND TOBACCO.  
October 25

**Cheap Cash Store.**  
THE subscriber has just opened and offers for sale, at the corner of King and Fairfax-streets, and next door to Messrs. John Withers & Co. a large assortment of  
**Seasonable Dry Goods,**  
which were principally bought at auction for CASH, and will be sold at the lowest prices.  
SAMUEL MARK.  
October 20 4w

**L. P. Madeira.**  
A FEW cases Messrs. Muddock, Youille, Wardrop & Co's London Particular Madeira, of fine quality, for sale by Jan 31. W. HODGSON.

**Butter for Sale.**  
FIRKINS, and  
400 wt. LUMP BUTTER.  
Apply to  
CALDWELL & JACKSON.  
October 24

**To Sportsmen.**  
ALL persons whatever are once more forbidden to hunt or low on the Belvoir estate; and those who disregard this notice will be dealt with according to law. FERDINANDO FAIRFAX.  
Washington, Oct. 23 1w

**Prime Chewing Tobacco.**  
55 KEES Prime Chewing Tobacco, 1 lb twists, 8's and 12's, of very superior quality.—Just received from Richmond, and for sale by JOHN JACKSON & Co. Agents.  
October 28

**Notice.**  
THE partnership heretofore subsisting between James & James G. Denale, in a store in the town of Dumfries, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.  
JAMES DENEAL.  
JAMES C. DENEAL.  
Dumfries, Oct. 27—29 6t

**Now Landing**  
FROM the brig *George Washington*, Capt. Cushing, on Yowell's wharf, and for sale by E. CORNING,  
13 hhds. New-England rum  
50 bbls. do. do.  
3 pipes cognac brandy  
9 barrels cider brandy  
7 chests young hyson tea  
6 ditto old hyson ditto  
10 bags Batavia coffee  
4 bbls. green ditto  
20 boxes spermaceti candles  
2 bales ravens duck  
2 ditto sheeting  
2 pipes first qual. country gin  
10 cases sherry wine  
2 ditto sweet ditto  
20 bbls. 1st & 2d qual. sugars  
Chests of souchong & bohea teas  
300 bushels potatoes  
2000 wt. good cheese  
3 yawl boats  
1 trunk bandana hdkfs.  
8 bbls. spermaceti oil.  
October 21 thatuff

**Cheap as our Neighbors.**  
REAL Merino and other shawls, 7, 4, 8-4, 9-4 and 10-4, of all qualities and colors, some of which are elegant. A few cases gentlemen's superior beaver hats, to be disposed of on moderate terms by the case or single one.—Gentlemen are invited to call and see for themselves.

Children's patent flossy wicks  
Ladies' do do  
Children's and ladies' improved Pyrenean tippets  
Ladies' patent scarfs  
Leopold stocks  
Ladies' long pilgrim tippets; &c.  
Ladies' superior kid gloves long and Gentlemen's do all kinds (short Ladies' and gentlemen's silk umbrellas, green and blue, the latter 26 and 28 1-2 inches  
Russia and other diapers  
Plaid bombazeens of the first quality and newest fashion;  
With a variety of other articles, comprising a very general assortment of  
**FALL GOODS,**  
which are for sale on the most moderate terms for CASH or to very punctual customers, and it is earnestly hoped none others will apply.

**WM. H. RICE & Co.**  
They take this method of informing ALL their customers who are behind hand in their payments (many of whom are at a distance) that it would be satisfactory to them to receive now what has been due so long; and further to assure several (perhaps the reader may take the hint) that suits will be immediately brought against them if this invitation is not complied with.  
October 27

**Young Ladies' Seminary.**  
MRS. COTTRINGER, of Philadelphia, respectfully informs the public that she proposes opening a Boarding and Day School at Alexandria; where the various branches of education will be taught. For terms, apply to James B. Nickolls, or Alexander Moore, of Alexandria, and Richard Harrison, esq. Washington city.

The school will commence on the 1st of December next.  
The National Intelligencer will please insert the above 1 month.  
October 21 1m

**Sales at Auction:**  
By JOEL JACKSON & Co.

THIS DAY, at 10 A. M. Will be sold at our Auction Room; 28 Union-street,  
1 bale white flannels  
1 bombazette; all colors  
1 flusings  
1 coatings  
1 stout German linens, suitable for bagging  
1 blue plains  
1 superfine pelisse cloths  
1 superfine cassimeres  
1 India cottons  
1 duft blankets  
1 rose do.

Superfine cloths, second ditto; plush cords, stockinet, domestic checks, chambrays, bleached and unbleached cottons; 4-4 British shirtings, imperial cords, elastic cords, lambs' wool hosiery, steam-loom shirtings, cords and velvets, patent threads, cotton balls, pins, bedtick, cambric handkerchiefs, bandanas, etc.

**IMMEDIATELY AFTER.**  
A quantity of SADDLES and BRIDLES, high and low trimmed, of superior quality and workmanship.  
ALSO,  
100 bbls. gross and nett herring  
15 London porter  
November 1

**By P. G. MARSTELLER.**  
On TUESDAY, at 10 A. M. Will be sold at the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water streets,  
1 bale Superfine broadcloths  
1 blue do  
1 Cassimeres  
1 Flannels  
1 rose do  
1 striped Blanket  
Forest cloths  
Plains  
Flusings  
Coatings  
Tollinet and Swansdown vestings  
Domestic cottons  
Ginghams  
Cotton and thread hosiery  
Buckskin, kid & beaver gloves, &c.  
ALSO,  
5 hhds. Muscovado sugar  
10 kegs chewing tobacco  
2 qr. cases family wine  
20 bags fliberts  
4 cases fine French hats  
Furniture, &c. &c.  
November 1

**Public Sale.**  
On TUESDAY, at 9 A. M. Will be sold at Miller's wharf, on a liberal credit.  
The packet sloop MONTEZUMA, her tackle, apparel, and furniture, burthen sixty-one tons. Her inventory may be seen on application on board. Terms at sale. P. G. MARSTELLER, Auct.  
November 1

**Jesse Phelps**  
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public that he has established a new ROPE WALK on the road leading to Hunting Creek bridge, and near the dwelling house of Jas. H. Hoos, Esq. and that he is now well supplied with a stock of good hemp and yarn, and is ready to execute any orders that he may be favored with, either in white or tarred cordage; twine, &c. Those who may please to give him a call, may depend on having their orders carefully executed, the work done in the best manner, and at very short notice. He solicits a share of patronage.  
October 30 thatuff

**Notice.**  
THE partnership hitherto existing between the subscribers, under the firm of JNO. JACKSON & Co. is by expiration and mutual consent this day dissolved. Those having claims will please present them to Jno. Jackson for settlement, to whom those indebted will please make payment, he being hereby fully authorized to settle the affairs of the late firm.  
JNO. JACKSON.  
ENOCH W. SPAFFORD.  
October 25—27

**Notice.**  
JOHN JACKSON having taken into copartnership GEORGE A. BROWN, of New-York, the Auction and Commission Business will be continued under the firm of JNO. JACKSON & Co. and they solicit a continuation of the patronage of their friends and the public.  
October 27 JNO. JACKSON, G. A. BIRBY.

**New Establishment.**  
THE subscriber having established the BURR MILL-STONE making, takes this opportunity of informing his friends and the public, that he has taken the Stand lately occupied by Michael Quigley, convenient to the store of James Anderson, on the corner of King & Bayette-streets, where he has on hand a good supply of the best quality mill-stones, and will warrant his Mill Stones equal, if not superior, to any in the U. State. Strict attention will be paid, and satisfaction given to those who will favor him with their custom. All orders attended to at the shortest notice.  
ROBERT GLENN.  
October 28 1t



## HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

### Public Sale.

IN pursuance of a power of attorney from Mr. John Muir, of London, to the subscriber, will be exposed to sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the 23rd day of November next,

### 5 Lots of Ground,

situated on Duke and Pitt streets, near the residence of Mr. Thomas Janney.—The title is indisputable, and the terms will be made known on the day of sale.

WM. HERBERT,  
Attorney for John Muir.

October 4

### Land for Sale.

IF early application is made, I will dispose of 400 acres of the CEDAR GROVE tract of land. There is surplus timber and five wood enough on the part I purpose selling to pay, with judicious management, more than half the purchase money, at the price I ask. The situation is healthy, and the land fertile. Contiguity to market is also among its advantages; it being within less than a mile of Mr. Jonathan Janney's mill, where the Alexandria price may be had for grain. Persons wishing to purchase will apply to the subscriber, residing at Cedar Grove, ten miles below Alexandria, and one below Janney's mill.

September 29

EDGAR McCARTY.

### A valuable Farm for Sale.

THE SUBSCRIBER will sell, on reasonable terms, a valuable and productive farm of 600 acres, or thereabouts—being part of the lands of the late Richard Brent, lying on Kettle Run in the county of Prince William, in the state of Virginia—20 miles from the Occoquan Mills—33 miles from Alexandria, and about the same distance from Georgetown and the City of Washington. This farm lies in the centre of an excellent neighborhood—is handsomely situated—abundantly watered, and has upon it an ample proportion of wood. The soil is naturally strong, and a considerable portion of it has for some years past, been cultivated according to the most approved rules of modern husbandry. Possession will be given on the first day of January next. The terms upon which this property will be sold, will be made known upon application to George L. Brent, of Stafford County, Va. or to the subscriber living in Alexandria.

September 6

JOHN D. SIMMS.

### Rich Kenhawa Lands for Sale or Barter.

I WILL sell or exchange, for property in this district or its vicinity, a valuable tract of Land in Mason county, Virginia, situate on the Great Kenhawa River, at the mouth of Eighteen Mile Creek, distant from Point Pleasant about eighteen miles. This tract binds upon the river, and contains by patent one thousand and fifty acres, a large proportion of which is rich bottom. The title is old, and indisputable, having been located and surveyed by Gen. Washington before the Revolution. What may be considered as adding much to its value is the passage of the western road through it. By a reference to Mr. Madison's map of Virginia, the situation of the land may be designated. Apply to Colonel Francis Peyton, or

October 8

ANN-ELIZA PEYTON.

### Land for Sale.

THE subscribers will offer at public sale, on Monday the 17th November next, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter—A tract of LAND on Patuxent river, near Trueman's Point, known by the name of TIMBER NECK, supposed to contain 300 acres.—It is well wooded, and would make a desirable little farm. Terms of sale 6 and 12 months credit, with bond and good security.

October 16

GEORGE FORBES.  
HORATIO C. MELDERY.

### Wood Cutters, look here!

ON the first Monday in November next I shall expose to public sale at the court house in the town of Dumfries, for cash, a tract of LAND, lying within one mile of the town of Occoquan, containing 1234 acres, all in woods, and heavily covered with oak and pine timber. The land will be shown by Zachariah Ward, Esq. JAMES DENEALE.

October 25

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### A Mill Lease, Waggon and Horses, & Hogs for Sale.

WILL be sold, without reserve, at public sale, on Saturday the 15th November next, at 12 o'clock, a Lease of two years and eight months from the day of sale, on a Mill situate about an equal distance from Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, and not more than four miles from either, known by the name of the CENTRE MILL. The Mill runs two pair of burr stones, one of six feet and the other four feet seven inches, and is in good order for merchant and country work. Also, will be offered at the same time, a Waggon and Team and Harness, a number of Hogs, & many other articles too numerous to particularize. Term of sale cash.

October 22

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### For Rent,

THAT large and convenient WAREHOUSE, on King-street, near the store occupied by the subscribers. The terms will be made accommodating. Immediate possession can be had.

Oct. 6

### For Sale,

THAT large and commodious three story brick Dwelling House on King street upper end at present occupied by Dr. George F. Thornton. For terms apply to WM. HERBERT, Junr.

May 21

### To Let,

TWO Brick WAREHOUSES, situate at the intersection of King and Columbus-streets, well calculated for the Dry Good, Grocery, or Flour Business. For terms enquire of

September 10

W. H. HUNDAS.

### Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood, Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. McPherson—the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement, from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

June 18

CHARLES SIMMS.

### Land for Sale.

THE Subscriber offers for sale, about 3000 acres of land in Fairfax county, not more than from seven to nine miles from Alexandria. The property is well watered, has a sufficiency of wood, and (judging from the condition of small and well cultivated farms that adjoin it,) it is highly susceptible of improvement.—It is at present divided into tenements, of from one to two hundred acres, each provided with a dwelling house, out houses, a garden and orchard; and might, of course, be laid off into four or five very compact farms. The principal object of the subscriber, being the introduction of a good system of husbandry into his neighborhood, he will sell on very moderate terms, give a long credit on the whole amount of the purchase money, and require no other interest, than what the present rent of the land pays, being about 3 per cent. on its estimated value.

September 6

WM. H. FITZHUGH.

### British & American Stationary.

JUST received, for sale by the subscribers, a complete assortment of STATIONARY ARTICLES, CONSISTING OF  
Superfine folio & quarto post, hot pressed, gilt and plain; best vellum and common foolscap paper, drawing, log, ironmonger's, large wrapping & blotting do.; a large quantity of quills of all prices, Dutch, English and American; very best ink powder; Japan & India ink; Clout's durable do.; Crehore's and Humphreys' hot pressed eagle cards; invitation and visiting ditto, plain, gilt and embossed; best black lead and camels' hair pencils and crayons; Reeves's genuine colors in large and small boxes and single cakes; pen-knives of the very first quality, from one to eight blades, and desk knives; ivory folders; Egyptian, pewter, glass, plated and pocket inkstands of all sorts; gentlemen's and ladies' elegant real Morocco pocket books, silver mounted, with and without instruments; ladies' thread cases and work boxes fine and common; pocket books of every description; asses' skin tablets; sealing wax and wafers; sand and pounce boxes, and ink sand; counting house files and laces; violin strings, German & Roman; slates and pencils; India rubber; silver and plated pencil cases, wafer seals; plated spectacles; Gutter's scales and dividers; mathematical instruments in cases, and a great variety of room hangings.

October 16

THEY HAVE ALSO ON HAND,  
A good assortment of charts; Blunt's West-India Atlas; coast pilot and Bowditch's navigator, of the latest edition; fine toned German flutes, with books of instruction for do, and all other instruments; a large assortment of music & music books; merchants' account books of every description; record ditto; cyphering and copy books; copperplate copies of very superior kinds; bibles, testaments, and common prayer books of all sizes and in all the various kinds of binding—all the Greek & Latin school books and classics now in use.

A general assortment of English and French School Books, Dictionaries and Grammars, too numerous for insertion—and a great variety of Children's Books, in quantity, with engravings, from the press of Samuel Wood and others.  
Blank Books of every kind made to any pattern in the neatest manner and of the best materials.

September 6

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

### A Wet Nurse Wanted.

LIBERAL wages will be given for a wet nurse, who can come well recommended. Apply to the printer of the Alexandria Gazette.

Oct. 18

### Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment in future.

Sept. 6

AMOS ALEXANDER.

### For Sale,

A STRONG healthy NEGRO MAN, believed to be from thirty to thirty-five years of age. He has for a few years past worked under the direction of an experienced green-house gardener. Apply to NOLLET HERBERT, Esq. Alexandria.

August 5

### Thirty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from my service, on the 10th inst. my mulatto house-servant GEORGE, between 18 and 19 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, slender made, pug nose, bushy hair, half of one of his upper front teeth broken off—he is very artful and forward, and a capable house-servant—he took with him a variety of clothing. I will give the above reward, if secured in any jail, so that I get him again, and will pay all reasonable charges if brought home. Masters of vessels and others are forewarned from employing or carrying off said servant at their peril.

September 13

C. F. WHITING.

### Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living at Columbia Court-house, Georgia, a negro man, named MIN- NY, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark complexion, grins when spoken to, remarkably bow-legged, and has a little impediment in his speech—he was formerly the property of Mr. James Anderson, of Alexandria, and it is not improbable he may be lurking about at Alexandria as he has a wife there, or he may have made for Philadelphia, and pretend to be free and show free papers. I will give the above reward for apprehending and securing him in jail so that I get him again.

September 8

CALEB EUBANK.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

LEFT my employ on Thursday, the 11th inst. a servant boy, named SPENCER; he is about 15 or 16 years old, tolerably well grown, is bow legged, of light yellow complexion, stammers when spoken to. He is probably lurking about town, and will no doubt try to pass for a free boy. I will give the above reward if taken more than ten miles from town, ten dollars if taken out of the district, and five if taken within the district. I forewarn all persons from harboring or carrying off said boy, as I am determined to have such offenders punished to the extent of the law.

September 27

T. MOUNT.

### Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from William Galt, near Fredericktown, on the Lancaster road, in April last, a Negro Woman, named JULIET, about 30 years of age, 5 feet high, has lost several of her upper front teeth, speaks quick & sharp—she was sold by a Mr. Darby, of Anne-Arundel county, to some Georgia traders whom she left near Richmond, Va. and was lodged in Fredericktown jail, from whence she was sold for her jail fees, & purchased by John P. Thompson, and by him sold to William Galt.—It is supposed she is now lurking about the district of Columbia or its vicinity.—The above reward will be paid for apprehending and securing her so that I get her.

October 6

JAMES GALT.

N. B. Masters of vessels and others are forewarned against carrying off said runaway.

### Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY, on Saturday evening, the 11th inst. my mulatto man, named NED, commonly called Ned M'RAE alias SNAWKINO. He is about 23 or 24 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, and was raised in Manchester. Ned is well made, high forehead and large flat nose; had on when he went away a grey coat and pantaloons, but as he was well provided with clothing of various kinds, it is probable he may have changed his dress. It is believed he went off with his wife, who it appears left Richmond at the same time: she is very black, and I believe, somewhat pitted with the small pox, talks a great deal, of short stature, and rather thick made. Ned is very artful, and may probably attempt to pass for a free man; he has a down look when spoken to. The above reward will be given if taken out of Richmond or Manchester, and twenty-five dollars if taken in either place, and all reasonable expenses paid for delivering him to the subscriber.

October 22

DAVID BARCLAY.

N. B. Masters of vessels and others, are cautioned against harboring, employing or carrying off said fellow, under penalty of the law.

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### SALES AT VENDUE.

On every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD,  
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,  
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

November 27

### Sales at Auction.

On Wednesday and Saturdays, WILL BE OFFERED,  
At the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—

An extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufacturers and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities, taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.

The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.

Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.

John Jackson & Co.

### James Kennedy & Son,

BOOKSELLERS,

KING-STREET, ALEXANDRIA,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have just received from

Lee's Medicine Store,

No. 46, Maiden lane, New-York, a fresh supply of the following valuable MEDICINES:

Hamilton's Worm-destroying Lozenges,

Which have within sixteen years past cured an immense number of persons of both sexes of every age and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from WORMS, and from obstructions or foulness in the stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever to others of similar titles so commonly complained of as operating with violence; on the contrary a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and constitution. It contains nothing but what is perfectly innocent & is so mild in its operation that it cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady or the tenderest infant of a week old should no worms exist in the body; but will without pain or griping cleanse the stomach and bowels of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms and many fatal disorders. The lozenges are particularly efficacious in carrying off all gross humours and eruptions, feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and mildest purgative that can be used on any occasion.

Description of Worms, and the symptoms by which they are known.

Worms which infest the human body are chiefly of four kinds viz.—The Terebra or large round worm; the Ascarides or small maw-worm; the Oecurbitaria or short flat white worm; and lastly, the Taenia or tape-worm, so called from its resemblance to tape. This is often many yards long and is full of joints. It is most hurtful and most difficult to remove.

Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite. Sometimes loathing food and sometimes voracious; purging with slimy and fetid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; pains in the head and thighs and loss of spirits; slow fever with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face bloated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms should have immediate recourse to Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, which have been constantly attended with success in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent "the vomiting and purging of children"—a dreadful disorder, which annually destroys thousands of the infant part of our citizens. It is likewise the mildest and most certain remedy known, and has restored to health and strength a great number when in an advanced stage of this fatal complaint. Particular and plain instructions are given for every part of the necessary treatment in such cases.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance, and an agreeable taste.

The Restorative Powder for the Teeth and Gums.

For the prevention and cure of BILIOUS AND MALIGNANT FEVERS is recommended  
HALL'S JNTI-BILIOUS PILLS  
THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor's feelings in several parts of the West Indies and in the Southern and Middle States, &c.

The testimony of a number of persons can be adduced, who have reason to believe that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy founded on mere assertion.

It is not indeed presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience for believing that a dose of these Pills taken once in every two weeks during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventive; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation and of every age. They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile and prevent its morbid secretions—to restore and amend the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which are often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold taken on its first appearance: they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficacious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

### Hamilton's Elixir,

A sovereign remedy for colds, obstinate coughs, asthma, sore throats, catarrhs, and approaching consumptions. To parents who have children afflicted with the HOOPING COUGH, this discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorders to which children are liable. The Elixir is perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small that no difficulty arises in taking it.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of  
Nervous Disorders Violent cramps in  
Consumptions the stomach and  
Loss of spirits back  
Loss of appetite Indigestion  
Impurity of blood Melancholy  
Hysterical affection Gout in the stomach  
Inward weaknesses Pains in the limbs  
and debility Relaxations, etc.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, rheumatic gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc. etc.

Let's Ointment for the Rich.

Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety by pregnant women, or on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

Hahn's true & genuine German Corn Plaster.

An infallible remedy for corns, speedily removing them root and branch, without giving any pain.

The Genuine Persian Lotion.

So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellent minerals, the basis of other lotions, and of unparalleled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetter, ringworms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water,

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of nature's weakness or of accident.

Tooth Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops

For the cure of agues, remittent and intermittent fevers.

At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

Sold only wholesale and retail, by JAMES KENNEDY & SON

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### For Freight,

The superior brig ABNO NA, A. Lewis, master; carries about 1800 barrels, is a first rate vessel, in complete order, can be ready to receive a cargo in four days, and will take a freight to the south of Europe on very moderate terms.

Apply to LAWSON & FOWLE. Who have for sale, said brig's cargo of 220 tons Plaster Paris.

Landing from schooner Hazard, Capt. Hattel, and for sale.

4 bales containing 40 pieces white Russia sheetings.

63 bolts first quality Russia duck.

10 qr. casks Sicily Madeira wine of a superior quality.

For Newburyport, The ship NEWBURYPORT, Captain Foltensbee, will sail in four days, and take a few hundred barrels freight on moderate terms. Apply as above.

November 1

For New-York, The ship HENRY DENISON, Capt. Thorp, bound then 800 bbls. will sail early next week. For freight or passage apply to

BARNEWALL & PIPHAM, October 30 1w Merchants' wh.

For New-York, The fine fast sailing Sloop PACKET, Capt. Thos. Van Name, burthen 500 barrels, now lying at the foot of King street—For freight of passage, having good accommodations, apply on board or to

J. & J. DOUGLASS. October 30.

For Freight, The ship UNION, Captain Cole, a nearly new and superior vessel, carries about 900 barrels, will be ready in a few days to receive a cargo, and will take freight for Europe or Coastwise.

Apply to LAWSON & FOWLE, Who have for sale said sch's cargo of 120 tons Plaster Paris.

Also, for sale, landing from sch. Bolina, Capt. Sylvester, from Madeira, 4 pipes } MADEIRA WINE.  
1 half pipe }  
1 qr. cask }

October 28

For Boston, The regular trading packet sch. LIBERTY, Isaac Bears master, burthen 700 bbls. now ready to receive a cargo, and will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to

JOHN G. LADD & Co. October 28

Lawson & Fowle OFFER for sale the cargo of the schooner Planet, Chandler Rackliff master, from Portland, of 150 pieces ravens duck

60 do. Russia sheetings  
250 do. alpacas  
50 bolts first quality Russia duck  
1 pipe Lisbon wine  
140 tons Plaster Paris

Also, The cargo of the schooner New Packet, from Boston, of

100 tons Plaster Paris  
30 barrels No. 1 beef  
5,000 lbs. green coffee  
25 barrels tanner's oil

For Boston, The regular trading sch. NEW PACKET, L. Crosby master, will commence loading in a few days, and take a few hundred barrels freight. Apply as above.

October 10

For Freight, The ship HAZARD, William Crabtree, junr. master, burthen 3800 barrels, and can be ready to receive a cargo on board in three days.

Also, The ship MARIA, George Fletcher, master; burthen about 3500 barrels; can be in immediate readiness for sea.

Also, The brig SUSAN, James Parsons, master; burthen about 1000 barrels, is a new and excellent vessel, ready for the immediate reception of a cargo, and will take a foreign or coastwise freight on moderate terms. Apply to

LAWSON & FOWLE. October 4

For Sale, Freight, or Charter The substantial fast sailing brig